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Greek Collapse On Epirus Front FACED HOPELESS ODDS Government Leaves Athens For Crete

LONDON, April 23.
King George of Greece, together with his Government has left Athens for the island of Crete.
In a statement to the people the King said that the Greek Army in the Epirus sector, in the north-west, had completed an armistice with the enemy, without the knowledge of the Government. Their capitulation did not bind the King, the Government or the nation, which would fight on until final victory.
The Greek Army in Epirus, against which the Italians armies put up such a feeble resistance, had been fighting against greatly superior odds for some months. That this force felt that further resistance was impossible, is not surprising.
The Germans, by the capture of Janina, are reported to have taken it in the rear.
Meanwhile the Allied line in the north is believed to be still intact in spite of the furious and unrelenting onslaughts of the enemy.

LEMNOS REPORTED CAPTURED GERMAN SUCCESS IN AEGEAN STRATEGIC VALUE Covers Entrance Of Dardanelles

(Received April 23, 11.15 p.m.)
LONDON, April 23.
A message from Ankara says that the Germans are reported to have captured Lemnos.
Lemnos will be familiar to many New Zealanders who took part in the Gallipoli campaign, for which it was the main base of operations. Its sheltered harbours were the marshalling points for many large troop convoys.
The island is large and mountainous, and is strategically placed only 40 miles from the entrance of the Dardanelles.

GREEK HOSPITAL SHIP BOMBED Fortunate Escape

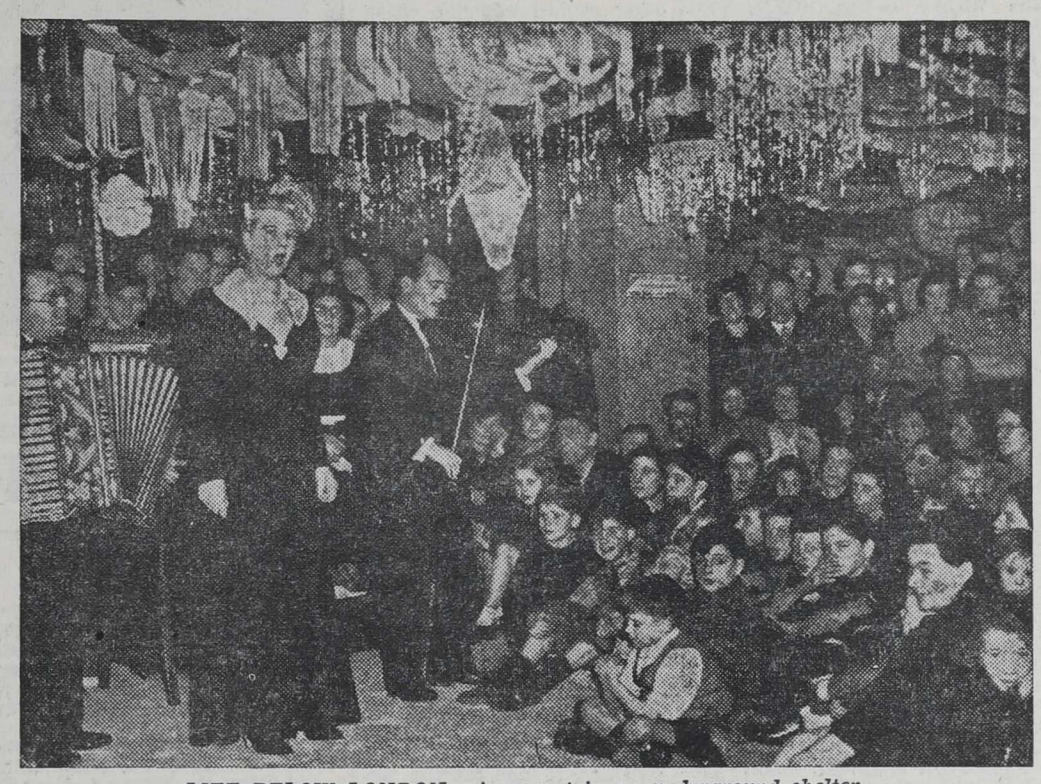
(Received April 23, 10.15 p.m.)
ATHENS, April 22.
A Ministry of Public Security communique says that the Germans bombed the hospital ship Polykos in the Gulf of Corinth without causing damage, and also bombed and machine-gunned large and small ships at various ports, causing damage and casualties.
Italian aircraft bombed the rural districts of Cephalonia and Corfu and machine-gunned villages, killing one.
Two enemy planes were shot down.
New Line Reached
The Empire forces in Greece have now occupied defensive positions south of Lamia, says a communique issued by British General Headquarters at Cairo. Lamia, which is roughly 100 miles north-west of Athens, is at the eastern side of the Greek "waistline."

FRENCH SHIPS AND BLOCKADE Number Intercepted QUESTION ASKED IN HOUSE

(Received April 23, 7.30 p.m.)
RUGBY, April 22.
Answering a question regarding the proposed loan of over £40,000,000 to Spain, Mr Churchill said the Government considered that the starving condition of the Spanish people fully justified assistance being given by Britain and the United States if they chose to act, irrespective of whether expressions of gratitude were forthcoming or not.

CONGRATULATIONS TO BELFAST Fire Brigade's Fine Work

(Received April 23, 7.0 p.m.)
RUGBY, April 22.
The Duke of Gloucester who, with the Duchess, is visiting Northern Ireland, sent a message to the chief of the Belfast Fire Brigade congratulating him on the splendid work of the brigade during the recent air raid.



LIFE BELOW LONDON.—A concert in an underground shelter.

FRANCE FACING DECISION TO SIDE WITH AXIS OR DEMOCRACIES PETAIN UNEASY Anxious To Keep U.S. Friendship

(Received April 23, 7 p.m.)
RUGBY, April 22.
According to a high authoritative source at Vichy, important changes in the French Cabinet are imminent, says "The Times" correspondent on the French frontier.
Under unrelenting two-way pressure Marshal Petain must very soon decide for the Axis or for the democracies. The American Ambassador (Admiral Leahy) and Marshal Petain have had many long conversations.
Admiral Darlan, whose policy has not satisfied Berlin, and alienates Washington, is definitely expected to retire from politics and resume Admiral's duties. His successor will probably be M. Debrinon, whose ambassadorial functions at Paris would then be assumed by M. Pierre Laval, whose position is expected to become exceedingly influential, because the Armistice Commission would be transferred from Wiesbaden to Paris.
Laval's Position
Admiral Darlan's disappearance would result in M. Laval becoming Marshal Petain's successor-presumptive.
Marshal Petain is resisting these proposed changes because they would enhance the influence of the party favouring France's collaboration with the Axis, and seriously compromise French-American relations, which Marshal Petain wishes to safeguard, but nobody at Vichy is prepared to predict whether Marshal Petain is personally strong enough permanently to resist the concentrated and unrelenting Axis pressure, even with Admiral Leahy's support.
Vichy newspapers have increased their anti-British campaign, and are jeering at developments in Libya and Greece, and criticising the British navy.

WEGAND PROVES AN OBSTACLE Use Of Bases In North Africa

(Received April 23, 9.30 p.m.)
ZURICH, April 23.
The Swiss newspaper "Neue Zuercher Zeitung's" Berlin correspondent says it is understood that the Germans are anxious to have General Weyand recalled because he is a stumbling block to their hopes of using French North Africa as a base for military operations.

LOSS OF 500 BUILDINGS COSTLY ERROR IN MASSACHUSETTS FOREST FIRES Annual "Burn" Was Not Carried Out

(Received April 23, 9.5 p.m.)
NEW YORK, April 22.
The fires which have been raging for three days through the forests of many eastern States were checked to-day after having charred more than 150,000 wooded acres with a loss of untold millions of dollars.
The destruction of 500 buildings at Marshfield, Massachusetts, causing the loss of 1,500,000 dollars was due to the saving of 300 dollars which was previously paid annually to burn marsh grass.

Allied Resistance In Greece Amazed Neutral Observer

(United Press Association—Copyright.)
(Received April 23, 10.50 p.m.)
NEW YORK, April 22.
The "New York Times" correspondent went to Turkey, from which he cabled a description of the fighting in Greece.
"I am amazed that fighting continues, because the position appeared hopeless on April 18, when the Government prepared to evacuate Athens, and actually sent to the newspapers an announcement to that effect, which was withdrawn before publication.
"Athens feared a coup d'etat on April 18 when armed Britons and Greeks patrolled the streets, but King George seized power and threatened to execute the first man seeking an armistice.
"The streets were then filled with soldiers returned from the front, but small numbers of British reinforcements were still arriving.
"The Government even on April 15 considered it impossible that the British and Imperial forces could successfully retire from a line hinged on Mt. Olympus. This withdrawal succeeded, due to immeasurable bravery.
"R.A.F. Exhausted
"The R.A.F. is fighting gallantly, but is gradually being worn down. I spoke to one pilot who said he had fought without sleep for 120 hours, and strafed endless lines of Germans until he exhausted his ammunition. He added that the Germans were destroying the British airfields."
The correspondent, Mr Sulzberger, attributes the Yugoslav collapse to the treachery of the Fifth Column, as well as the overwhelming German quantitative superiority.

GERMAN'S ACTION Entered America From Canada ESCAPED PRISONER

(Received April 23, 9.15 p.m.)
WASHINGTON, April 22.
The Attorney-General (Mr Jackson) said that Baron Franz von Werra, an escaped German aviator from Canada, jumped his 10,000-dollar bail bond and is now believed to be in Peru.
Mr Jackson said that this constituted a flagrant abuse of neutral hospitality and ordered immigration officials to turn back at the border future escapees attempting to enter the United States, if necessary forcefully.

REVERSES NOT DISASTROUS ROOSEVELT TAKES BRIGHT VIEW AID CONTINUES Britain Itself The Vital Spot

(Received April 23, 11.5 p.m.)
WASHINGTON, April 23.
"The war will be won by keeping Britain operating," declared President Roosevelt at a Press Conference. He cautioned the people against drawing conclusions too quickly from day by day developments abroad.
President Roosevelt is confident that the defence of Britain will be maintained despite British reverses in the Mediterranean. He said the war is not to be won by isolated events, but by keeping the existing defender of democracy, and added without qualification: "The existing defender is Britain."
The President declared that there would be no lessening of shipments of war materials to Britain.

FINLAND MENACED BY GERMANS

(Received April 23, 10.50 p.m.)
STOCKHOLM, April 23.
Reliable reports from northern Norway state that big German motorised reinforcements have been going northward from Narvik in the past three weeks, and are believed to be making for the Finnish frontier.

SPAIN REMAINS NEUTRAL NO PASSAGE FOR GERMANS FRANCO'S STAND Cannot Face British Blockade

(United Press Association—Copyright.)
(Received April 23, 9.15 p.m.)
LONDON, April 23.
The Vichy correspondent of the Associated Press of Great Britain says it is reported in diplomatic quarters that General Franco, after meeting the Spanish Cabinet, maintained his refusal to permit the passage of German troops across Spain to attack Gibraltar.
General Franco is reported to have argued that the food crisis prevented the abandonment of neutrality.

An Imperishable Memory RAWALPINDI'S FIGHT Memorial To Captain Unveiled PLACE IN HISTORY

(British Official Wireless.)
(Received April 23, 7.0 p.m.)
RUGBY, April 22.
Unveiling a memorial tablet to Captain E. C. Kennedy, R.N., who, commanding the armed merchant ship Rawalpindi in November 1939 fought the German battleship Deutschland until all his guns were out of action and the whole ship ablaze, the First Lord of the Admiralty (the Hon. A. V. Alexander) described Captain Kennedy's courage as "of a piece with the heroic engagements of the great captains of history."
Mr Alexander added that it was fitting that to the glory of such men we should raise a lasting memorial for those who come after them, but the truest and most imperishable memorial they can have is in the minds and memories of those who know them, and in the imagination of those—especially the young—who will read their story.

VALUE OF SEA POWER DEMONSTRATED Enemy Supply Lines To Libya Being Continually Harassed

(British Official Wireless.)
(Received April 23, 7.0 p.m.)
RUGBY, April 22.
The effective employment of British sea power was again demonstrated yesterday in the North African campaign, during which the sea, air and land forces of the Empire co-operated continuously in the bombardment of Tripoli.
The vulnerability of enemy communications with its advanced forces in Libya has been frequently demonstrated in the past few weeks. Apart from the necessarily limited quantity that is airborne, supplies of food, water and petrol as well as reinforcements of personnel, must be drawn from across the Mediterranean and carried forward across the desert by road.
The annihilation of a convoy and its escort on the way to Tripoli last week was a heavy blow to the enemy, and the more recent destruction of a tanker by a submarine off Tripoli was another example of the constant vigilance which the British Navy exercises on this vital supply line.
Attempts to use Benghazi as a port have since been frustrated by R.A.F. bombardments, and British land forces have had valuable assistance from naval guns in their successful engagements with enemy forces in Western Libya.
In connection with this latest punishment dealt by the Navy to Tripoli, which is of supreme importance to enemy supplies, the terrific damage inflicted by the fleet in their daring attack on Genoa is recalled.

Germans Admit Difficulty SUPPLYING TROOPS Long Sea Route To Africa DESERT BARRIER

(Received April 23, 7.0 p.m.)
RUGBY, April 22.
A Berlin spokesman has stated that the check to the German advance in North Africa is due more to natural difficulties than to British resistance, and pointed out that the supply problem was serious.
Materials must not only be transported to Libya but from there across the desert to advanced positions.

IRAQ GOVERNMENT'S ATTITUDE Action According To Treaty

(United Press Association—Copyright.)
(Received April 23, 10.15 p.m.)
VICHY, April 22.
The Iraq Government has issued a communique explaining that the British Government asked permission to pass certain troops through Iraq, and this was granted in conformity with the provisions of the British-Iraq treaty.
It added that the Iraq Government was watching over the rights of the Kingdom and the sovereignty of the nation and would not allow these to be infringed in any way.

GENERAL BLAMEY'S NEW POST

LONDON, April 22.
General Sir Thomas Blamey, Commander of the Australian Forces, has been appointed Deputy-Commander-in-Chief of the whole of the forces in the Middle East.
[The above news was received direct on a "Columbus" calibrated short-wave radio.]

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Two Hollywood Successes

Stars Who Reached The Peak

There are two stars in Hollywood who are in a class by themselves. They are so different that their names are usually mentioned as an after-thought when the conversation turns to the players who draw the largest crowds to the box office.

One of them arrived in Hollywood in a comfortable drawing room on a fast continental train. The other walked over the nearby hills after his antiquated car had broken down. One was internationally famous at the time he arrived. The other was an unknown who had drifted south from the Pacific northwest.

The famous one was Fred Astaire; the unknown one was Bing Crosby. Both are starring now at the same studio—Paramount. Astaire is in 'SECOND CHORUS,' with Paulette Goddard and Arlene Shaw; and his partner, Crosby is in 'THE ROAD TO ZANZIBAR,' with Bob Hope and Dorothy Lamour.

'Staying Put' Astaire and Crosby are the only two stars in Hollywood who have lasted through the years by capitalising upon the particular talent which brought them to the screen; Crosby with his singing—Astaire with his dancing.

They have been other great dancers such as Buddy Ebsen. Some have requested their screen debuts seven have switched to non-dancing pictures. Crosby made a short for Pathe. He was figuratively tossed out of the studios and the film thrown after him. Astaire made two pictures—'Dancing Lady' and 'Flying Down to Rio,' and shaking the dust of Hollywood from his feet, returned to the stage.

Success For Two Crosby was in New York when he received a wire from Paramount asking him to make 'The Big Broadcast.' He was a hit in the picture. Astaire was in London when 'Flying Down to Rio' was released, and he received a cable requesting him to return immediately. Ever since then, both players have been among the top box-office names, but both are so much taken for granted that a typical one: 'Crosby's "Rhythm on the River" did the usual Crosby business, which is better than good.'

They are the only two stars whose pictures set their own standards. The pictures do "Crosby business" or "Astaire business"—always better than "good." And the fact remains that they are still selling the same talent which Hollywood bought, and the public is still paying to hear Crosby sing and to see Astaire dance.

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'The Great Dictator' meditates upon future conquest—Charlie Chaplin in the title role of his latest comedy, which will be screened at the State Theatre, Hastings, during the latter part of May.

CURRENT PRODUCTIONS

HASTINGS. COZY THEATRE: Now showing: 'Castle on the Hudson' and 'Penrod's Double Trouble'...

STATE THEATRE: Saturday to Tuesday: 'The Saint in Palm Springs' (George Sanders)...

REGENT THEATRE: Saturday to Monday: '21 Days Together' (Vivien Leigh, Laurence Olivier)...

MAYFAIR THEATRE: Saturday: 'The House of the Arrow' (Kenneth Kent, Diana Churchill)...

REGENT THEATRE: To-day, Saturday and Monday: 'Hired Wife' (Rosalind Russell, Brian Aherne)...

STATE THEATRE: Saturday to Monday: 'Band Wagon' (Arthur Askey, Richard Murdoch)...

REGENT THEATRE: To-day, Saturday and Monday: 'The Leather Pushers' (Richard Arlen, Astrid Allwyn)...

STATE THEATRE: Saturday to Monday: 'Three Men From Texas' (Arthur Askey, Richard Murdoch)...

COINCIDENCE OR PLAGIARISM? Real-Life and A Film Incident Prove Similar

It has become commonplace for children who become Hitler pictures for the first time to shout: 'He looks like Charlie Chaplin!' But what do you make of this? An Associated Press despatch from Berlin, describing Russian Premier Molotov's arrival in the German capital, contained the following paragraph: 'Molotov's special train halted several hundred feet from the spot on the platform where it had been expected to stop, and a large assembly of German dignitaries, augmented by the Japanese, Turkish and Chinese Ambassadors and the Italian Charge d'Affaires (Ambassador Dino Alfieri has been ill for some time) had to move hurriedly forward to greet the visitor.'

Anyone who has seen Charlie Chaplin's 'THE GREAT DICTATOR' will recall that a similar scene—and one of the funniest—occurs in the picture when Chaplin, in his role of Henkel, Dictator of Tomnia, accompanied by his entourage, awaits the arrival of Jack Oakie, portraying Napoleon, Dictator of Bacteria. Comic chaos ensues when the train fails to stop where it is supposed to stop.

Now the question is: Is this Hitler-Molotov incident sheer coincidence or deliberate plagiarism? Maybe Chaplin can sue!

ROBERT BENCHLEY IN "NICE GIRL" Robert Benchley, in what is said to be the choicest role of his film career to date, will portray the part of Deanna Durbin's father in 'NICE GIRL,' next and ninth of Miss Durbin's Universal productions.

The actor-humourist, in this important role, will be a widower and father of three daughters, two of whom will be cast later. He will be principal of the local high school, with a hobby for biology which enables him to discover a new vitamin.

Helen Broderick, distinguished character actress of stage and screen, and mother of Universal's seniority with 33 years of movie acting to his credit. The others are Kelsey, Noah Beery and Pat O'Malley, 30 years apiece; Monte Blue, 29 years; Charles Ray, 27 years; William Desmond and Kenneth Harlan, 23 years each.

Star of the film, 12-year-old Gloria Jean, has been in pictures less than two years.

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Hollywood's newest child singing wonder, Gloria Jean, stars in 'A LITTLE BIT OF HEAVEN.' She appears as a child radio star, so successful that she causes a split in her family, which is only mended when she loses her voice. C. Aubrey Smith turns in a great performance as her grandfather.

George Sanders once more creates the role of the 'Saint' in 'THE SAINT IN PALM SPRINGS,' in which he is cast as a devil-may-care swashbuckler who is persuaded by a detective friend to go outside the law to defeat a gang of crooks who are interested in some rare stamps placed in his care.

Lloyd Nolan and Lynn Bari head the cast in 'HITLER BEAST OF BERLIN,' a drama of the New York blockade, in which they play a detective and a coffee stall proprietress who set out to apprehend a daring foreign thief, played by Douglas Fowley.

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Romance and tragedy in the mystic setting of the Far East are found in 'THE CHINESE BUNGALOW,' about a wealthy Chinese who married an English showgirl. Paul Lukas, Jane Baxter and Kay Walsh are featured.

Benefit of 22 years' motion picture experience was gained by producer Joe Pasternak when he cast eight former stars in Universal's 'A LITTLE BIT OF HEAVEN.'

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Municipal "ON OUR SELECTION" RETURNS

The evergreen Cinesound comedy, "On Our Selection," is now on the programme at the Municipal Theatre, Hastings. Its riotous story of life "down on the farm" in the Australian outback country has made this film one of the most popular comedies ever screened...

DOMINION'S LOYALTY EXPRESSED

St. George's Day Message

By Telegraph-Press Association. AUCKLAND, April 23. His Excellency the Governor-General has dispatched the following telegram to His Majesty the King: "On this day dedicated to St. George the patron saint of England, and to the memory of Shakespeare, the Government and people of New Zealand, with whom I gladly associate myself, desire to assure your Majesty of their continued loyalty and devotion to your Majesty and the throne and to pay their whole-hearted tribute to the unconquerable spirit of the Motherland, whose epic heroism in her sore distress has stirred the whole Empire and will continue to inspire our joint effort in the noble cause of freedom until victory is won."

"Singing Professor" at a night club, Roberts meets his riotous adventures when he becomes mistaken for a gangster. Pat Gleason, Milburn Stone and Mary Korman are also featured.

Regent

THREE STARS IN "HIRED WIFE"

Fast-moving comedy of the type which depends on situations rather than gags for laughs is the keynote of "Hired Wife," one of the year's most hilarious pictures, which is now screening at the Regent Theatre, Hastings. Co-starring Rosalind Russell, Brian Aherne and Virginia Bruce, "Hired Wife" is a story of a girl whose heart is broken when she marries the man she loves for business reasons rather than romantic reasons. Miss Russell, who gives the outstanding performance of her career, plays the title role. She is Aherne's secretary, and also is very much in love with him. Aherne, at the same time, is enamoured over Miss Bruce, a beautiful model. For business reasons he is forced to get married in a hurry. Because of Rosalind's trickery, he can't reach Virginia and has to marry the secretary. Then the fun starts. As the intrigue grows more intense, the comedy becomes funnier.

All three stars are perfectly cast and turn in superb performances, making their characters appear real rather than mere shadows prancing across the screen. And they are given some excellent support by Robert Benchley and John Carroll. Benchley, believe it or not, is an attorney, Carroll is a Latin Romeo who tries to help Rosalind by attempting to woo Virginia away from Brian. Much of the credit for the fast pace maintained throughout the picture must be given producer-director William Seiter, in his first assignment since directing Deanna Durbin in "It's A Date," he has come through with a real winner.

Cosy

ROMANCE "CASTLE ON THE HUDSON"

Starring John Garfield, Ann Sheridan and Pat O'Brien, "Castle on the Hudson" is now at the Cosy Theatre, Hastings. Garfield and Miss Sheridan, two of the outstanding new stars of the screen, are co-starring for the first time in a story, tailored to the measure of their personalities. Together they make a dynamic screen team, and "Castle on the Hudson" is an ideal vehicle for them. Telling of a young couple who risk death to be together, it is a fast-moving drama, full of suspense. Garfield portrays an egotistical young gangster, arrogant in his confidence that his luck will hold. But like most other strong characters, he has a weakness. That weakness is his love for Kay, the role played by Ann Sheridan. Beautiful and desirable, she is queen of the underworld, but her love is all for Garfield. Separated when he is finally apprehended, they cannot stay apart. He comes to her when she needs him most, and she, in return, murders another man to save his life. It is this point on which the plot revolves.

"Penrod's Double Trouble" starring the Mauch twins—Billy and Bobby—in the most adventurous film of their careers, is the second feature. "Penrod's Double Trouble" is the third picture of the series. With Booth Tarkington's immortal character of boyhood as its central character, and it is, like its predecessors, full of touches of homely humour and nostalgic appeal, but spirited action is its keynote.

State

"BAND WAGON" STARS ARTHUR ASKEY

Arthur Askey, the inimitable English radio comedian who made his first film appearance in Hastings in the title role of "Charley's (Big-Hearted) Aunt," is back again, this time in "Band Wagon," which will commence at a special 10.25 session at the State Theatre, Hastings, to-night. "Band Wagon" is the film version of the radio feature in which he has been appearing on the English stage for the past year in company with Jack Hylton and Richard "Stinkie" Murdoch, both of whom are starred with him in the film. One of the most spectacular scenes is the reception hall of a haunted castle which Askey and Murdoch are inveigled into renting for the princely sum of £3. With the help of Jack Hylton, who portrays an unsuccessful impresario, the two comedians stage a big television show in this setting, in which "Zoops-a-Daisy" is the biggest number.

Arthur Askey, Britain's newest and most popular vaudeville radio star, was born in Liverpool. When the 1914 war clouds hovered over Europe Askey was only 13—not old enough to join the forces, and so to "do his bit" he went the rounds of various Liverpool hospitals, singing to the wounded soldiers. In 1932 Askey started broadcasting, and became much in demand for Empire broadcasting work and short-wave relays. Later the B.B.C. gave him a contract to appear as resident star comedian in "Band Wagon," in which he joined forces with Richard Murdoch.

Current Programme The latest "Clisco Kid" adventure is "The Gay Caballero," which Cesar Romero again in the title role. On the same programme is "Charley Pilot," story of adventure and comedy in the air. These films will be shown at the afternoon and evening sessions to-day.

DANNEVIRKE BAND MEETS

Daily Mail Special Service. The Mayor of Dannevirke (Mr. E. C. Gibbard), wishing the Municipal Brass Band success, expressed the hope that they would soon be called upon to play victory marches. The Mayor presided over the annual meeting of the band. Mr. T. W. Bott presented a report on the band's activities. It had had 75 rehearsals and fulfilled 41 engagements. Gratitude was expressed to Bandmaster G. G. G. and the Salvation Army Band for assistance during the year. The election of officers resulted as follows: Patron, Mr. H. Gibbard; president, Mr. G. McInosh; vice-presidents, Messrs. L. Morgans, E. E. Prior, F. D. Herrick, F. Craven; treasurer, Mr. W. L. Payne; bandmaster, Mr. Payne; sergeant, Mr. A. L. Williams; corporal, Mr. J. Wells; and drum major, Mr. J. Bingham; librarian, Mr. L. Davies; assistant, Mr. J. B. Register; drum major, Mr. J. Donaldson; custodian, Mr. T. W. Bott; conductor, Mr. W. H. Tougher; secretary, Mr. L. Albiston.

NAPIER THEATRES

Regent FINALLY TO-DAY IT'S COMEDY WEEK! GEORGE FORMBY "COME ON, GEORGE" DIANA CHURCHILL "JANE STEPS OUT"

MAYFAIR To-day at 2 & 7.45 p.m. THE IDEAL PROGRAMME! "THE HOUSE OF THE ARROW" "THE DEVIL ON HORSEBACK"

State FINALLY TO-DAY 2 P.M.—& 8 O'CLOCK JOHN BARRYMORE "THE GREAT PROFILE"

IN THE SIDE-SPLITTING LAUGH SMASH— "THE GREAT PROFILE" The Comical Story of an Actor who Forgot His Lines and Changed a Dramatic Stage Play into a Screaming Comedy Success, aided and abetted by MARY BETH HUGHES—JOHN PAYNE—GREGORY RATOFF

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PROGRAMMES ON THE AIR

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6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30: Breakfast session. 9.0: "Singing It With Music." 10.0: Devotional service. 11.0: "Melody Trumps." 12.0: Lunch music. 12.15 and 1.15 p.m.: B.B.C. news. 1.30: "Entertainers' Parade." 2.30: Classical music. 3.30: Talk: "Quickly Prepared Tea Dishes." 4.45: Piano rhythm. 5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: News. 7.15: "Gallipoli: A Story of the Past." 7.30: B.B.C. Symphony Orchestra. 7.55: London Palladium Orchestra. 8.3: "Hard Cash." 9.15: "The Makers." 9.45: "The Fourth Quarter." 10.0: "The Fourth Form at St. Peter's." 10.57: Station notices. 11.0: "The Makers." 11.15: B.B.C. news commentary. 11.30: Music of British Bands. 11.45: "Band and Dances." 12.0: Mitchell Ayres and his Fashions in Music. 11.0: B.B.C. news.

2YA WELLINGTON

6.0, 7.0, 8.45 a.m.: B.B.C. news. 7.30: Breakfast session. 9.0: Songs of Yesterday and To-day. 10.0: Devotional service. 10.25: Favourite melodies. 10.40: "Lovers' Lilt from 'The Merry Widow.'" 11.0: "The Old Soldiers." 11.15: For our Irish listeners. 12.0: Lunch music. 12.15 and 1.15 p.m.: B.B.C. news. 1.30: Educational programme. 2.0: "Quickly Prepared Tea Dishes." 2.45: Piano rhythm. 3.0: Classical music. 4.0: Radio variety. 5.0: Children's session. 5.45: Dinner music. 6.15: B.B.C. news. 7.0: News. 7.15: Britain Speaks. 7.30: Reserved. 7.45: "Rainbow Rhythm." 8.5: "Inspector Hornleigh Investigates." 8.22: Home-tunes. 8.45: "The Makers." 9.15: "The Makers." 9.45: "The Makers." 10.0: "The Makers." 10.15: "The Makers." 10.30: "The Makers." 10.45: "The Makers." 11.0: "The Makers." 11.15: "The Makers." 11.30: "The Makers." 11.45: "The Makers." 12.0: "The Makers." 12.15: "The Makers." 12.30: "The Makers." 12.45: "The Makers." 1.0: "The Makers." 1.15: "The Makers." 1.30: "The Makers." 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FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S INSTITUTES IN NAPIER

President's Fine Address At Annual Meeting

The annual general meeting of the Northern Hawke's Bay Federation of Women's Institutes was held in the Foresters' Hall, Napier, yesterday, when there was a large and representative gathering of members. The stage was artistically arrayed with bowls of hydrangeas, dahlias, chrysanthemums and French marigolds.

The meeting opened with the singing of "God Defend New Zealand" and the Institute song, aspiration and prayer. The meeting was presided over by the chairman, Mrs W. Bridgman and seated on the stage with her were the hon. secretary, Mrs A. E. Marford, hon. treasurer, Mrs D. H. Stewart, Mrs B. Otene, Mrs A. McHardy, Mrs Horne, Mrs T. Johnson, Mrs Burton and Miss Kirkham.

Mrs Bridgman extended a warm welcome to those present and hoped everyone would have a very happy day. Apologies for absence were received from Mesdames J. Graham, G. Dasant, Osborne and Miss McMichael. A letter was read from Mr W. J. O'Connell, of Hawke's Bay County Council, expressing regret at being unable to speak as requested at the meeting. The writer expressed his appreciation and paid tribute to the wonderful work done by members of the County Institutes for the soldiers overseas, and concluded by wishing the conference every success.

The roll call was called by Mrs B. Otene, the following Institutes being represented: Awatoto, Meeanee, Bay View, Ohurakura, Clive, Pakowhai, Eskdale, Puketapu, Greenmeadows, Putorino, Haumoana, Rissington, Havelock North, Richmond Block, Kotemaori, Tutira, Taradale, Waimarama, Twyford, Marakakaho, Tangaroa, Fernhill, Mungamanoa.

The annual report was read by the secretary and the financial report was read by the treasurer and both were congratulated by the chairman for their clear and concise reports.

DOMINION CONFERENCE
Mrs McHardy, the Hawke's Bay delegate to the recent Dominion Conference of Federated Women's Institutes read a report of the conference and gave a resume of the activities of the conference which was heard with great interest. It was stated at the meeting that Lady Newall had consented to become the Patroness of the Institute Movement.

Two resolutions were put forward at the meeting, the first that an Emergency Precaution Scheme for help in the home be formed by the Dominion Federation, but it was pointed out that at present such a scheme would be too costly; the second was that an inquiry be made into the excessive price of wool in the Dominion and this was passed.

At the conclusion of the business portion of the programme and luncheon adjournment the gathering was entertained by members of the Napier Townswomen's Guild with a short play and songs and recitation by Miss Valerie Lewis. A beautiful bouquet of autumn shaded flowers was presented to Mrs Bridgman prior to her presidential address.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS
Mrs Bridgman commenced her address by saying:
"The Women's Institute is non-political and non-secretarian. That does not mean to say that it is non-Christian or non-religious, therefore

I do not apologise for any remarks I may make in my talk to-day.
"We are told that when this world starts in over we shall have a new order of things—a New World. How are we to do our part in this new world? Women must play a great part in it, in many ways the major part. Some of us will not live to take part in this work, but our children will and our grand-children, and it is of paramount importance that we, as mothers, do all that we can to prepare them for their tasks. There is no alternative to power, politics and military dictators, but the rule of Christian principles; no rival to the dictatorship of might, but the dictatorship of love."
"In every work," said the wise old man Socrates, "the beginning is the most important work, especially in dealing with anything young and tender." It is a well-established fact that in the first few years, or even months, education goes on more rapidly and its effects are more permanent than at any later period. By the time a child is 12 he or she is already advanced along the road of life. Mothers, you have your children until they are 12 years of age, therefore, your precepts and example are the greatest factors in their lives during the most impressionable years.

CHILDREN'S TRAINING
"All of you want your children to speak correctly, to choose good English, and there is no book in the world which has such beautiful language as the Bible. Have you ever tried to teach your child what confidence is? That little something inside us that tells us things are right or wrong? Listen to this verse of Scripture teaching this great principle. Thine ears shall hear a voice behind thee saying, 'This is the way, walk ye in it, when ye turn to the right hand and when ye turn to the left.'"

"Give your children what I choose to call working knowledge. Teach them to read the Bible, to learn the principles and fables in the mind with a few well-chosen and appropriate verses. For example, diligence and conscientious work; do it with thy might; Control of anger; When Christ was asked how often shall I forgive my enemy until seven times? the answer was: I say unto thee, until seventy times seven. And again: 'A soft answer turneth away wrath, but grievous words stir up anger.' And yet again: 'Keep thy tongue from evil and thy lips from speaking guile.'"

"Teach the idea of God as a loving Father, illustrated in that matchless story of the Prodigal Son." Neighbourliness—how better could you test that than by the story of the Good Samaritan, who ministered first aid to an enemy, then continued to care for him and paid his hospital expenses. Look with the good in life, but not with the good in dress, and things that do not matter.

"Whatever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report, if there be any virtue, think on these things."
"If you give yourself to do this work, nothing will do more to make your own life sweet, wholesome and strong in all that is good and lovely. If you miss this, you miss the greatest and best of God's blessings. No school-taught lessons, day or Sunday school, can make up for what your boys and girls will miss if you neglect your pledge to bring them up for God. To make schools responsible for what we ought to regard as our greatest privilege is a sorry betrayal of our trust. Let us all inwardly vow that we, as mothers, will do our utmost to train our children in the Christian principles of honesty, self-control, self-discipline, tolerance and kindness. So shall we help to build a new world that cannot resort to war and destruction to settle its differences. A Christian civilisation worthy of the name because it is founded on the New Order instituted by Christ."

During the afternoon members of the Matungamanga group were hostesses at afternoon tea and the singing of the National Anthem concluded a very successful meeting.

MANNEQUIN PARADE IN NAPIER

All Woolen Ensembles HINTS FOR LESS SLIM WOMEN

Mrs And Miss Joy Allan

Sponsored by the Wool Council of New Zealand Miss Ina Allan and her daughter, Miss Joy Allan, gave a most interesting mannequin display in the tea rooms of Blythes Ltd., Napier.

Mrs Allan described the parade as a mother and daughter parade and gave a most instructive and helpful talk to the bigger woman. "All mannequin parades are lovely" said Mrs Allan, "gorgeous clothes, models with slim figures, but what of the bigger woman?" So yesterday Mrs Allan concentrated on the bigger figure, while her daughter displayed clothes for the slim figure. A fact that the speaker stressed most strongly was how pouched and tucked backs to frocks which most O.S. women avoid are really flattering and many of the gowns worn by Mrs Allan were fashioned in this style.

Another important point in the display was the fact that all clothes worn were of New Zealand manufacture, all pure wool, and all made to Mrs Allan's own design. All lines being correct fundamental lines for the big figure.

One black angora evening gown was really beautiful, made with a wide flare at the hem line, trimmed with coloured felt flowers, and worn with a just below the hip coat.

Another lovely model was an ensemble in two shades of violet, with matching toque, and a smart country life suit, in navy, with a Fenschelle model in dusty pink and brown wool tweed, worn with a smart brown felt hat. For the cocktail hour or bridge party an unusual model was shown in plantation tan wool crepe with dainty pearly pouch pockets. This model was very popular.

Many coats were shown, one of navy blue tweed with a squirrel trim and a forest green tweed beautifully tailored.

At the conclusion of the parade Mrs Allan spoke of the beauty and utility of the woolen materials now so popular and so universal. Truly form and judging by the many lovely models shown one can easily believe all Mrs Allan had to say—so ladies more wool in your wardrobe please!

Illustrated Art Lecture AT WOMEN'S CLUB

Miss K. F. Rixon Also Gives Talk HASTINGS EVENING

An art lecture illustrated with lantern slides presented by Miss K. F. Rixon, of Queenswood School, had kindly consented to give a preliminary talk prior to the lecture and she was introduced to members by Mrs W. G. Stead, who presented to her a lovely spray of violets.

Miss Rixon spoke most ably and appropriately on the need for further education with regard to art and spoke highly of the value of the specially prepared art lectures. She said that these days almost everyone was taught music and by means of good concerts were able to know the works of the great masters. So, too, they learned to read and to know the classics by reading and hearing them, those which had been made into pictures. However, with regard to the great pictures and artists little was done to help people to know them.

It was not so abroad. In England it had been realised that beauty in the world made a great difference to the life of the people, especially the drab lives. It was considered that the pleasures of wonderful pictures should not belong to a privileged few, but to everyone. Many owners of these wonderful masterpieces had bequeathed them to the nation or had given the nation the chance to purchase them.

Loan Exhibition

Miss Rixon said that in London every effort had been made to help the people and free lectures had been given frequently at the Art Galleries. Loan exhibitions had been arranged for the benefit of those not able to travel abroad and it could soon be realised how highly other nations thought of their pictures when it was learned that at the time of the Italian loan exhibition the pictures arrived on a ship with a naval escort and then a military escort was provided to the Academy.

The speaker said that New Zealand people did not have the privilege of seeing these paintings, but much could be learned from good reproductions and she hoped one day to see in Hastings a gallery with such reproductions.

This talk was followed by the lantern lecture which was one of a series prepared under the auspices of the association of New Zealand Art Societies with the object of developing a greater understanding and appreciation of art. These lectures are written by recognised authorities and are available to art societies, schools, and colleges or any institution or club in this Dominion.

Last night's lecture was written by one of New Zealand's foremost artists, Mr Sydney L. Thompson, O.B.E., and dealt with the subject of "Painting." It was ably read with great understanding by Mrs K. E. Crompton and she hoped one day to see in Hastings a gallery with such reproductions.

At the conclusion Mr W. A. G. Penlington spoke briefly about the standards upon which one judged the progress of art.

Mrs C. G. Wilkinson sincerely thanked all who had contributed towards the evening's pleasure. Among those present were: Mrs W. G. Stead, Mrs W. A. C. Mackenzie, Mr and Mrs H. J. Lovell-Smith, Mr and Mrs W. A. G. Penlington,

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Recent Napier Wedding

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At St. Augustine's Anglican Church, Napier, Barbara Gertrude, second daughter of Sergeant and Mrs F. E. Leddra, Levin, was married to James Reginald, only son of Mr and Mrs W. Walls, Napier, the Rev. S. B. Gardner, M.A., was the officiating minister. The church was beautifully decorated with masses of white Easter May and pale pink spider lily.

The bride, escorted by her father, made a charming picture when she entered the church gown in magnolia satin, with paneled skirt and oval train. She carried a shower bouquet of cream water lilies, rose buds and carnations interwoven with finest maidenhair fern.

Two bridesmaids, Miss G. Pressing, Wellington, and Miss M. Hodge, Napier, attended the bride. They were similarly gowned in ice blue satin plaid made with tight-fitting pointed bodice, fully gathered skirts and flared sleeves. An unusually charming effect was created by the barbola pendants and cluster of pink flowers worn in the hair.

Barbara Gunn, wearing a full-length taffeta gown, and carrying a pink Victorian posy, made a delightful little train-bearer.

Mr Will Hammond, Napier, was best man, and Mr Stan. Boardman, Grouman.

Following the ceremony, the parents of the bride, assisted by Mr and Mrs W. Walls entertained a number of friends at the U.F.S. Hall. The reception tables were decorated with autumn-tinted dahlias and chrysanthemums.

For travelling the bride was wearing a sage green costume with black accessories, and grey squirrel tail, a present from the bridegroom.

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ANZAC DAY 1941

Five o'Clock Gossip

Miss J. Adair and Miss B. Finlay are Gisborne visitors to Napier.

Miss Betty Sharman, Auckland, is a visitor to Hastings, and is staying at the Carlton Club Hotel.

We are now showing a new collection of very smart autumn and winter coats, including country life tweeds, and shadow checks from gnu's; "foxey" styled camel coats in soft blues and greens 13gns; all wool alpaca coats 8gns; attractive box and fitting coats with a military air, styled in Harris tweeds, llama cloth, velours in all shades, 5, 6 and 7gns. "Victory" Gown Hastings exclusive sale. Telephone 3076.

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A Page For The Farmer

Lambs Selling On Better Market

STORTFORD LODGE RATES

Easing Competition For Young Store Cattle

Fluctuations on the store sheep market at the weekly Stortford Lodge stock sale yesterday affected principally lambs, which brought a slightly higher scale of values. Wethers, which comprised not far short of two-thirds the yarding of 3,500 head, met a practically unchanged demand and breeding ewes met a quieter inquiry.

On the whole the sale was to vendors' satisfaction and there were not many passings.

A large yarding of 280 head of fat cattle sold at rates steady on those of last week. Inevitably, in a yarding of these proportions, quality was very mixed and prices for the light lines were low; the inquiry for finished pens, however, was well maintained in view of the length of the sale, which was not completed until about 1.30 p.m.

About 1000 head of store cattle were penned, the majority of the main drafts being 2½-year steers for which the market was back. There were some good prices paid for top lines of grown cattle, probably because of their early finishing possibilities, but younger lines almost invariably met with easing competition.

Light, unfinished cows classed as "fat" made as low as £3 10/- to £5; the tops of the offering made £7 18/6 to £8 11/-. Very light A.A. heifers made £2 10/- to £5; medium £8 8/6 to £9 13/6. Vealers were very mixed in quality to average from £1 7/- to £3, with runners at £3 10/- to £4 10/-.

In the store pens average good two-off A.A. steers brought from £5 5/- to £5 14/-, starting prices being often round the £4 mark. Cattle a year older made £7 5/- to £8 5/-, with the tops of the bullocks, a fine draft of Herefords, at £9 15/-.

Twenty-months steers made £4 to £4 12/6 and two-off heifers £3 17/6.

The main draft of store sheep was a Patoka line of over 600 exceptionally good wethers, which made 21/3 on the bidding and was passed in at the price, but later sold at 21/9. Forward pens made 19/4, others in good order from 17/9. Plain two-tooths made from 12/-, better 18/-. Forward Southdown lambs made 18/3, with lighter sorts at 16/9. Good pens of wether lambs ranged from 14/4 to 15/9, with medium lines at 13/-. Five-year ewes r.w. ram made 12/9.

Some of yesterday's realisations were as follows:

FAT CATTLE
A pen of 6 medium-framed, light finished plain quality Hereford cows sold at £3 10/- to £5, A.A. and Hereford heifers, also light in condition, were passed in at 46.

Two pens of mixed vealers, A.A. and Hereford bred and in light to medium condition ranged from £1 7/- to £3.

From Mt. Erin Station two fairly-framed medium-conditioned A.A. cows sold at £7; 3 steers in the offering, medium-grown and fairly finished, made £8 16/-. From the same place two pens of Hereford heifers came forward; the tops, prime finished and in good order, made £8 8/6 to £9 1/2, with a lighter cut from £7 11/-.

On account of Mr W. McKenzie and in from Havelock North a draft of fairly-framed A.A. cows, in prime order and carrying good finish on the day, ranged from £7 8/6 to £8 11/-.

In from Elsthorpe the top beast in an entry of A.A. cows brought £7 18/6; the remainder, light conditioned, sold at £3 10/- to £6 3/6. Two heifer runners in medium order sold at £3 18/6 and £4.

An offering of small grown and light A.A. heifers, being little more than plain quality runners in size and condition, sold at £2 10/-.

STORE CATTLE
A draft of Wairoa two-off dehorned Hereford steers, straight-bred, medium-grown and in light to medium store order was passed in at £3 10/-.

Fifty-five P.A.-Hereford cross steers of the same age, no better grown, well-bred but in similar light order were passed in at £5 5/-.

From the same consignment 38 clean-bred P.A. steers, described as being two-off but with more young cattle amongst them were passed in at £4.

Thirty-five Ruakituri-bred A.A. three-off steers, quite well-grown and in medium to good order, brought £8 5/-.

Out of the same consignment, 35 nicely-grown Hereford bullocks, again good-conditioned and in great doing order, brought the competition to sell at the good figure of £9 15/-.

On account of Poporangi Station 78 high-country two-off A.A. steers, a straight ear-mark line with a sprinkling of whitefaces, handy-conditioned, medium-framed cattle, sold at £5 9/-.

Sixty clean-bred A.A. two-off steers, only fairly-grown but in quite good doing order, met the market at £5 9/-.

A further pen of 45 steers, similar in breeding, 20-months and fairly-grown, being in medium order was passed at £4 12/6.

From the Ruakituri-bred consignment a pen of 40 dehorned Hereford three-off steers well-bred, framed well and carrying plenty of condition, sold at £8 5/- for half the line.

Railed down from a Wairoa station, thirty two-off A.A. steers, fairly-grown and in useful store order, passed at £3 17/6.

Fifty-six A.A. three-off steers, quite well-grown and in sound order brought a bid of £7 5/-.

Twenty-two A.A. two-off steers, fairly-grown, clean bred and in medium to good order, sold at £5 14/-.

Yesterday On 'Change Transaction List
Following is a list of transactions on the New Zealand Stock Exchange—

WELLINGTON EXCHANGE
Sale Late Tuesday.
Mackenzies Dept. Stores 2 4 3
Sales Yesterday.
4% Stock 1940-43 (2) . . . 101 0 0
4% Stock 1943-46 . . . 102 5 0
National Insurance (late sale yesterday) . . . 19 0 0
Beath & Co. . . . 14 6 0
Wilson's Cement . . . 19 0 0
Booth Macdonald (prel.) . . . 6 7

CHRISTCHURCH EXCHANGE
N.Z. Govt. 4% Stock 1946 . . . 102 5 0
N.Z. Govt. 4% Stock 1949-52 . . . 105 11 6
National Insurance (late sale yesterday) . . . 19 0 0
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MOVEMENTS OF STUD STOCK

NEW ZEALAND RAMS GO OVERSEAS

FIRM'S REPORT
Importations And Exports

Messrs Dalgety and Co. Ltd. have just shipped to the order of Mr Thomas Riddell, Salem, Oregon, U.S.A., an outstanding stud shearing Romney Marsh ram, No. 25/1939, bred by Mr A. L. Wheeler, "Leedstown" Marion, New Zealand. This ram was not offered at the stud fairs just held and was being reserved for Mr Wheeler's own use. This most valuable and very high-priced ram will be a definite acquisition to the breed in America. The ram travels in a specially constructed pen on the Matson Liner, "Montevideo." It will be remembered that last month the same firm shipped stud Romney Marsh rams for Mr C. M. Bishop, Portland, Oregon, as well as a Corriedale ram to Messrs Crane Bros., Santa Rosa, California, and three Merino rams and ten Merino ewes to Mr J. W. Mailliard, Jun., San Francisco.

The great difficulty of exporting New Zealand stud stock to Buenos Aires, Argentine Republic, gives the Lincoln breeders in Australia a unique opportunity of securing leading New Zealand stud Lincolns on most reasonable terms. It is not generally realised in this country that there are over 50 registered stud Lincoln breeders in the Australian Flock Book and some of these breeders are awaiting themselves the excellent opportunity. Dalgety and Co. recently shipped to Mr H. H. Watson, "Echuca Park" Victoria, a shearing stud Lincoln ram bred by Mr W. M. Bishell, "Cavendish" Bienenheim and Mr Watson writes that the ram arrived in great order and that he is amazed at the wool this sheep carried—a tremendous fleece for a sheep of his age. The same firm is also shipping a special stud Lincoln ram to Mr George Leishman, Clunes, Victoria, and this ram, bred by Mr L. R. Wilton, Rangitumu, Masterton, was first prize at the last Manawatu and West Coast Show.

The same firm recently imported from Messrs Bigwood Bros., "Sunny-side" Wodonga, Victoria, a large white boar for Mr John Bowron, Waimate. This pig arrived in splendid order and the same company is now importing a large white sow for Mr Bowron, bred by Mr W. Wilcox, South Australia. Messrs Dalgety and Co. Ltd. have been recently very active with imports and exports of various breeds of pedigree pigs to and from Australia and have now been granted the Manawatu Pig Breeders' Association's Spring Sale.

Dorset Horns continue to increase in popularity in this Dominion and Dalgety and Co. are now importing for Mr H. B. Besley, New Plymouth, a special stud and five ewes bred by Messrs R. R. Hart and Sons, "Glen Devon," South Australia, as well as a stud ram and 12 ewes for Mr H. J. Kelliher, Auckland, from the flock of Mr H. Kelsall, "Broughton Brook" Wagga Wagga, New South Wales. It will be remembered that Mr Kelliher recently joined the Dorset Horn breeders by purchasing the whole of Mr C. G. Laver's flock No. 4 of the Flock Book—the oldest registered flock of Dorset Horns in this Dominion. Dalgety and Co. have also purchased five special stud ewes from Mr W. J. Dawkins, "Newbold" South Australia, for Mr J. D. Fletcher, of Otago, these ewes being specially mated before shipment.

It is generally recognised that after the Wairarapa Stud Ram Fair held at Masterton and the Manawatu and West Coast Stud Ram Fair held at Feilding each year in January, few high prices are realised at subsequent North Island fairs. Such was not the case this year, and at the ram fair held at Feilding on February 6 and 7 Romney Marsh and Southdowns each realised up to 170 guineas, Mr H. B. Johnston's stud Romney making this price to Messrs O'Neil Bros., Wanganui, and the well-known South Island Southdown breeder, Mr E. J. Andrew, receiving the same figure for a shearing ram purchased by Mr D. Ross, Wanganui. Both these sales were made by Dalgety and Co. who also report having sold privately at a high figure a stud Southdown ram bred by Mr H. J. Andrew's to Mr B. Illston, Silverhope, Marton, who was the runner-up for the ram sold to Mr D. Ross.

ANZAC DAY HOURS AT POST OFFICE

To-morrow (Anzac Day) will be observed as a close holiday by the Hastings Post Office. The office will be closed in all branches, and no mails will be made up. Street post-boxes will not be cleared. No postmen's deliveries will be made.

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WELLINGTON COMPLETELY READY FOR EMERGENCY

Plans For Partial Evacuation Should Necessity Arise

(By Telegraph-Press Association.) WELLINGTON, April 23. Plans which have been made for the partial evacuation of Wellington in case of damage by enemy action were outlined to-day by the mayor (Mr T. C. A. Hislop) who is chairman of the Emergency Precautions Scheme.

Mr Hislop said there was no idea of the complete evacuation of the city, but it might become necessary as a result of the destruction of houses or damage to essential services to find immediate accommodation for a large number of people. If the damage was slight all the accommodation required could be found locally but, if extensive, the movement to the country of those rendered homeless would be necessary.

He had discussed billeting with representatives in Wairarapa and Manawatu and these bodies had now nearly completed a detailed survey so that they knew what accommodation would be available and where each individual was to go if need arose.

The response by residents of country areas, particularly Wairarapa, had been good. Transport, Mr Hislop said, would depend on circumstances. It might be possible to use the railway, if no buses and cars would be used. People would be sent to central points and then drifted to their temporary homes.

Referring to food supply, he said that the purchase officer (Mr N. J. Casey) had prepared a scheme for co-ordinating all the principal food supply organisations operating in the city and in an emergency it would be possible to send food to the people being evacuated as well as meeting the local demand.

Hastings Golf Club SATURDAY'S DRAW

Following is a draw for a medal round to be played on Saturday by members of the Hastings Golf Club: E. A. Murley and C. M. Campbell, D. G. Sutherland and J. H. Jeffery, W. J. White and N. M. Campbell, R. Cashmore and J. W. Jones, G. O. Reake and E. J. Treney, W. S. Wilson and R. McIntyre, A. D. Murphy and J. B. Wilson, W. Mathews and J. W. Palmer, C. W. Castell and Ian S. McLeod, D. H. Newbigh and R. Bridge, B. W. Boys and N. R. C. Wilson, H. K. Agnew and C. G. Wilkinson, E. T. Gifford and J. Vesty, H. G. Carr and R. T. Barron, H. E. Elliott and F. S. Budd, W. H. Wood and T. Proffitt, E. Rixon and R. Anderson, W. T. Harvey and C. S. Gibbs, R. M. Egan and J. J. Hall, C. G. Watson and F. J. Cleary, E. L. Commin and R. L. Macdonald, John Lyons and A. E. Palmer, C. H. Slator and F. S. Nutter, N. A. Owen and J. H. Flower, E. C. Bridge and J. A. Farquharson, H. W. Estauch and A. Hawley, W. Helean and H. B. Knight, J. W. Druce and R. M. Terry, E. J. W. Hallett and G. R. Baillie, F. H. Crawford and R. P. Hanrahan, H. M. Bodle and L. A. Denton, A. D. Gillies and T. Johnston, J. C. Jordan and R. N. Cook, R. F. Brown, H. R. Kite, and G. R. G. Matheson, G. Murrill and G. R. Toxward, L. H. Breakwell and G. Rusbatch, R. Wall and I. E. Thompson.

Any member not drawn or unable to play is to advise the secretary.

PIG PRODUCERS' LOSSES KEPT IN IGNORANCE OF RESTRICTIONS TRADE BENEFITS

Leakage Of Information Alleged (By Telegraph-Press Association.) WHANGAREI, April 23. The annual meeting of the Northland Pig Council to-day alleged that a leakage of information in connection with the restriction on killings had resulted in a heavy loss to pig producers, who had been kept in ignorance of information which by some means had reached the trade.

As the result of a rumour that baconers were to be barred, an unprecedented rush to the Auckland Farmers' freezing works took place, an excess of 3000 over the previous March being killed. Two instances of loss, one of £250 and another of £150, were quoted.

Cigarette Stocks Short BRITISH DIFFICULTY

(United Press Association—Copyright.) (Received April 24, 8.55 p.m.) LONDON, April 23. Tobaccoists throughout Britain are considering closing their shops for part of the week as a result of a shortage of supplies. London retailers are limited to one-third of their normal requirements whereas the demand, particularly for cigarettes, has increased. The situation is worrying manufacturers. Stocks at the outbreak were estimated to be sufficient for two and a half years, but only a year's supply is left.

GREEK RIVER RUNS BLOOD

NAZIS' PRICE FOR ANZAC'S STORY

Attackers Mown Down In Swathes

(United Press Association—Copyright.) (Received April 23, 6.0 p.m.) LONDON, April 22. "The Germans have good reason to pay tribute to the Anzacs and Britons' stubborn resistance," states a special correspondent after touring the shortened British line in Greece. "The Germans progressed at the cost of a sickening sacrifice of human life—a sacrifice not without protest. Many Prussians were shot in the back by Austrians. An Australian said that, during a German attempt to ford the river Parissa, German officers kept driving their infantry into the path of Bren gun fire until the river was running red. Here, as elsewhere, the Germans were mown down in swathes.

"A New Zealander, when interviewed on a beach of the Aegean Sea, said that anti-tank units held their fire until the advancing troops were within 1200 yards and then knocked them out one after another. "Dive-bombers at first harassed the British withdrawal, but later the weather forced the bombers to abandon the attack."

Anzacs' Heroic Defence HOLDING THE PASS

(Received April 23, 6 p.m.) LONDON, April 22. The German Press pays a tribute to the heroism of the New Zealanders in defending the gap between Mount Olympus and the Aegean Sea on April 16, says the Berlin correspondent of the British United Press.

Tribute From The Enemy NAZI AIR STRENGTH

(Received April 23, 8.35 p.m.) RUGBY, April 22. The task of Americans in London was to help win the war in the shortest possible time by letting their friends and associations in the United States know exactly what was happening in Britain, the American Ambassador (Mr John G. Winant) told an audience of American businessmen to-day. In addition to businessmen nearly every American organisation in Britain was represented, the audience including members of the American Eagle Squadron, the American Ambulance and the American Motorised Squadron.

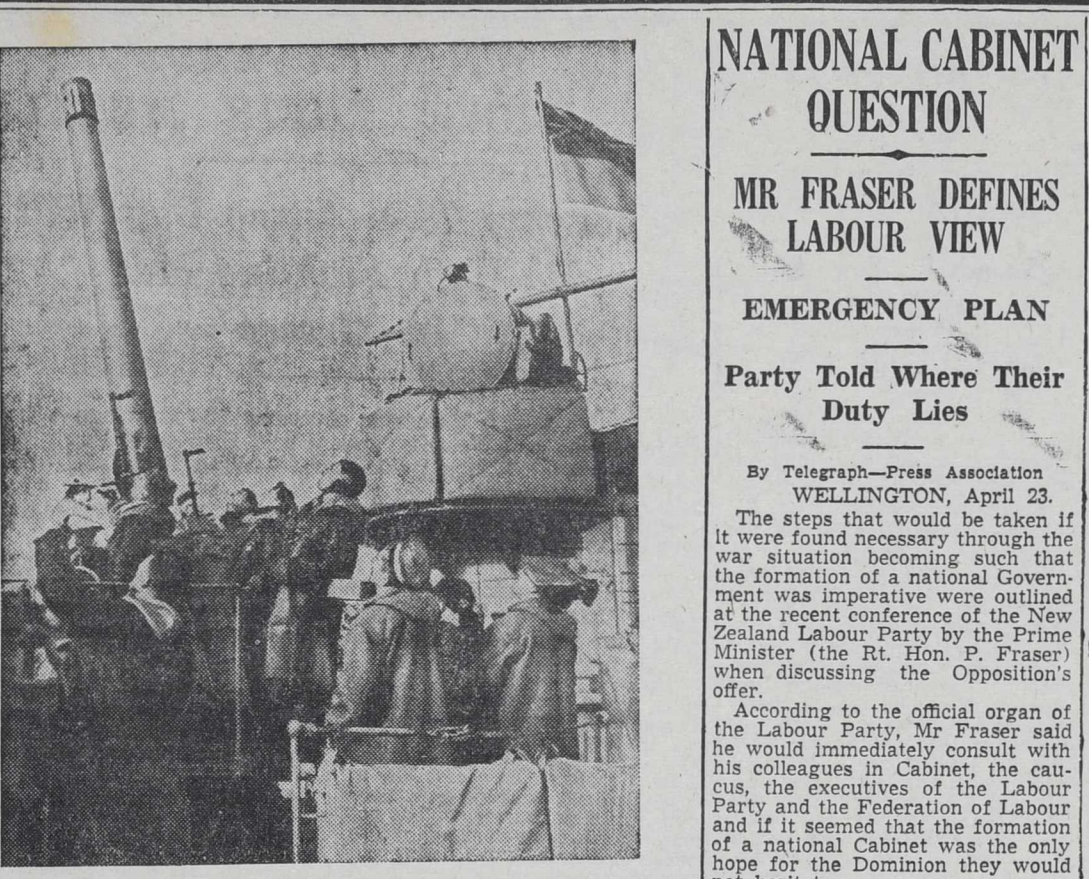
"There are two ways," said Mr Winant, "which American businessmen in England can help and are helping. This war has already demonstrated the man-for-man superiority of the soldiers of freedom over the soldiers of oppression wherever there has not been an overwhelming inferiority in mechanical equipment. You can all ensure that the best American and British experience is utilised to increase and speed the construction of the tools necessary to win the war in the shortest possible time."

"Need For Understanding" "Secondly, most of you here are much more aware of the needs of this war than your business associates and friends in America. You know what this war means, not only to England and to the subjugated peoples of Europe but to America and to your children and mine.

Greece Had To Be Helped AUSTRALIAN VIEW

(United Press Association—Copyright.) (Received April 23, 6 p.m.) LONDON, April 22. The difficulties of the Greek campaign were always understood by the British, Australian, and New Zealand Governments, but it was felt unthinkable that Greece, who had fought so valiantly against the Italians and who was prepared to withstand the onset of Germany, should be left unassisted, said the Australian Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. B. G. Menzies) to-day in appealing to Australians to stand firm. "Debates and recriminations about strategic decisions and tactical dispositions the results of which are still being sought out cannot do any good at present," Mr Menzies declared.

"I say quite bluntly that, whatever criticisms may arise in relation to our assistance to Greece, it is nothing to the criticism we could justly have encountered throughout the world if, having cheered on Greece for months and encouraged her in her effort, we then shrugged our shoulders and said that against Germany we could give her no aid and she must fight alone. "Australians who have died in Greece have died in a noble cause,



DESTROYER V. 'PLANE—A heavy anti-aircraft gun on a British destroyer held in readiness for an expected enemy attack.

SUPPLY OF MEDICINES UNDER NEW SCHEME

Details Of Pharmaceutical Benefits Released By Government

(By Telegraph-Press Association.) WELLINGTON, April 23. Regulations making provision for pharmaceutical benefits were gazetted to-day and are to come into force on a day to be appointed by the Minister of Health. The regulations provide that the proprietor of any pharmacy may enter into a contract with the Government to supply all or any types of drugs and medicines covered by the regulations. Payment will be made to him in accordance with the rates laid down by the Pharmacy Pricing Committee and now adopted by the chemists as a pricing system, less a discount of 2½ per cent.

The scheme extends to prescriptions given by any medical practitioner, whether operating under the medical benefits scheme or not, and to a certain limited extent to prescriptions given by registered midwives and obstetric nurses. All drugs, medicines and medicinal preparations which are described in any official pharmaceutical publication are to be supplied free with the exception of the following: (a) Preparations (except insulin) prescribed by reference to a trade mark or trade name or by reference to a particular maker (generally known as "proprietary").

(b) Any serum, vaccine or antitoxin. (c) Any wine or spirituous liquor of a kind commonly sold by persons licensed to sell intoxicating liquors. In any case where a chemist fills a prescription, including any of the preparations in these three groups, he may claim from the fund the amount that would have been payable up to the value of the preparation actually supplied.

A customer will be required to sign the prescription when presenting it to the chemist and where the medicine prescribed is to be supplied more than once the customer must give the chemist a receipt on each occasion. The amount payable by the fund for medicines comprised in the regulations must be accepted by the chemist in full settlement and is taken to be price of the medicine supplied in full. Any cost of posting or delivery must be borne by the individual.

The regulations will not apply to medicine supplied to in-patients of public hospitals. In the case of prescriptions made up for out-patients by hospital boards payment to the trading chemist is made by the hospital board concerned. There are provisions similar to those in the regulations relating to agreements, complaints and other matters of machinery.

Refund Of Lodge Dues MEDICAL BENEFITS

(By Telegraph-Press Association.) WELLINGTON, April 23. "I have a request to make in response to a request from the Government has decided to provide for the Social Security Fund to refund lodge dues to those members who are financial according to the ordinary rules of the lodge and who have not yet been able to secure the services of a doctor under the medical benefits scheme. "This arrangement will date as from May 1," he said. "It should be clearly understood that in the meantime payment by the Government will be confined to the actual amount paid by members. In respect of general practitioner treatment, the lodges will continue to pay the doctor the same rate as at present, members being relieved of the obligation to pay into the medical fund.

"The pharmaceutical benefits will be available shortly. Friendly Societies will be relieved from May 1 of that portion of their lodge dues covering the provision of medicines. Details of this service will be announced later in the week. "I would urge upon Friendly Society members the desirability of retaining membership of their lodge notwithstanding the fact that in many areas a free doctor is now available under the medical benefits scheme. It is advisable to remain lodge members in order to receive the advantages of the sick and funeral fund. Sick pay will thus be assured in the first week of sickness and may also be held concurrently with the Social Security sickness benefit. Where medical associations are providing a free doctor the same provisions as outlined will apply."

CHILDREN'S HOME'S APPEAL Collection Organised

The appeal of the trustees of the Hawke's Bay Children's Home to the residents of Hawke's Bay for funds to enable them to carry on their work is being supported by the English and American communities in the city. The trustees are appealing for help to support the work of the home to the residents of Hawke's Bay for funds to enable them to carry on their work. The trustees are appealing for help to support the work of the home to the residents of Hawke's Bay for funds to enable them to carry on their work.

ALMOST 1000 ENEMY PLANES LOST

(British Official Wireless.) (Received April 23, 6 p.m.) RUGBY, April 22. A Cairo message states that it is officially learned that the enemy has lost in the Near East 995 planes in the air and on the ground since the beginning of January. The Italians have lost 773 'planes and the Germans 222. In the first three months of 1941, R.A.F. losses totalled only 62, and many R.A.F. pilots were saved.

ITALIANS MAY RESIST FOR SEVERAL WEEKS

Heavy Guns Defending Dessie Prove Problem For The Attackers

(United Press Association—Copyright.) LONDON, April 23. Military circles at Cairo hinted to-day that mopping-up operations in Abyssinia might require several weeks, firstly because the Italians are making a determined stand at Dessie, and secondly because the rains in the southern areas are slowing up the British movements.

It has become clear that the Italians intend to fight on to the last. The defenders of Dessie occupy a strong position where a semicircular mountain commands a straight stretch of road crossing the plateau. The battle has already developed into a full-scale artillery duel, the Italians showing the most stubborn resistance since Keren. The Italians' big guns in concrete emplacements on top of the mountain are pouring out a heavy barrage and cutting furrows in Mussolini's "victory way."

South Africans, who are in the forefront of the battle, have brought up guns in an attempt to silence the Italian batteries. The British advance will be difficult, because the Italians are entrenched in cleverly concealed positions in country admirably suited to a scenic railway. The South Africans are facing up to terrible hardships. The nights are freezing and the days stifling. Native patriots are proving invaluable in patrolling and scouting the surrounding areas.

RESTRICTION MAY BE LIFTED NEW ZEALAND MEAT EXPORT MINISTER'S VIEW

(By Telegraph-Press Association.) AUCKLAND, April 23. The Minister of Agriculture (the Hon. J. G. Barclay) said that he had no knowledge of the meat position in Australia, which, according to the Commonwealth Minister of Commerce (Sir Earle Page) was that negotiations had been completed for the restoration of purchases to the level which existed prior to January. Mr Barclay said that as far as the increased quantity of export meat were concerned for the year ending September 30 next, all he could say was that an important conference was being held in London to-day to determine what foodstuffs could be shipped by New Zealand, including meat and dairy produce, and until the decision was communicated to the Government, he was unable to comment on the situation. He mentioned that he had visited the Westfield canning works this morning, and he considered that the canning of meat was a practical solution in some way to overcome the meat restriction, and he had decided to go "flat out" on canning.

Hardship On Teachers HOME GUARD DUTIES Must Take Leave Without Pay

(By Telegraph-Press Association.) NEW PLYMOUTH, April 23. The fact that teachers serving with the Home Guard were not entitled to pay if they were granted leave to undertake duties was commented on by the Taranaki Education Board to-day when the amended schedule of leave pay for teachers on territorial service was received. A case was quoted where a teacher had sacrificed his pay, and it was decided to bring the question before the Education Department. The Department stated that as a result of many teachers serving in Territorial training beyond the usual three months and making application for additional holiday pay, the conditions of leave had been amended. In future teachers would receive pay for the first three months. If after that period the authorities required teachers to remain on military service they were to be treated in a similar manner to those serving overseas and with the home forces. If these teachers were likely to be required for a year or longer, the Department would be advertised as war vacancies. Where teachers voluntarily wished to continue service the boards would take into account the needs of their schools when considering the application for extended leave and might refuse to grant the extension.

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SERIOUS MATTERS Afoot

CONFERENCES HELD American And British Diplomats TRIP CANCELLED (United Press Association—Copyright.) (Received April 23, 6 p.m.) LONDON, April 22. Mr Averall Harriman, United States Defence "Expediter" in London, to-day sent a message to the American Chamber of Commerce apologising for his non-attendance at a luncheon. "Something of major importance has come up," he said. At Washington, the Australian Minister, the Hon. R. G. Casey, said his conference with the British Ambassador, Lord Halifax, and the American Secretary of State, Mr Hull, to-day was on a subject of very grave importance, but he declined to make any further comment. The President's secretary (Mr Stephen Early) stated that the situation at present was too serious to permit Mr Roosevelt to visit Ottawa, as he had hoped.

FEW CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTORS New Low Record Set MEN OF 38 YEARS REGISTER Appeals Negligible

(British Official Wireless.) (Received April 23, 7 p.m.) RUGBY, April 22. The Ministry of Labour and National Service announces that provisional figures of those who registered on April 12—the 1963 class—were: England 250,243, Scotland 28,762, Wales 16,157, a total of 295,162. The numbers provisionally registered as conscientious objectors were: England 899, Scotland 147, Wales 87, a total of 1133. This was equivalent to 0.38 per cent. of the total registered, and a new low record.

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TOWNS FAIL TO FILL PATRIOTIC QUOTAS

Country Districts More Than Meet Obligations: Report To Council

Some remarkable figures in connection with the £1,000,000 Patriotic Appeal were tabled by the secretary (Mr F. R. Watters) at a meeting of the Hawke's Bay Patriotic Council held in Napier yesterday.

Table with 4 columns: District, Collected, % of Quota, % of Total. Includes Napier, Hastings, Central, Southern, and Hawke's Bay.

Although Waipawa had expressed the opinion that their quota was too large and should not have exceeded 10 per cent of the total provincial quota...

The chairman of the Waipawa County Council (Mr A. T. Carroll) argued that the earning capacity of the various zones should be taken into consideration in conjunction with their population...

Maori Representation. "It sounds quite reasonable to me," commented Mr T. W. Hercock when the subject of Maori representation on the various patriotic councils arose out of a communication from the National Patriotic Fund Board...

Mr Watters pointed out that both Bishop Bennett and Mr Carroll were members of the Hawke's Bay Patriotic Council and the meeting approved of the proposal of giving representation to the Maori people.

View of the particularly heavy air raids which Great Britain had been experiencing in the past few weeks, it was decided to recommend the National Patriotic Fund Board to remit a sum of not less than £100,000 to London...

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No Increase In Levy

HOSPITAL AFFAIRS Sound Position At Waipawa DIFFICULTIES MET

The most gratifying feature as far as contributing local bodies are concerned in the estimates of the Waipawa Hospital Board for the coming year, is that there will be no increase in the levy.

The finance committee reported having given all items careful consideration and after making due allowances for all increased commitments it was proposed that the final budget will require a call on levies of 41d in the £, which is identical with last year's rate.

Satisfactory Position. The position was one to be proud of, the chairman claimed as the estimates of hospital boards in the Dominion were finding it necessary to increase their levies.

Review of Year. Speaking on his review for the past year (already published), the chairman added that he was very pleased with the large measure of co-operation that had come from every direction.

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"POOR COUNTRY LADS" PROVE THEIR METTLE

Thoughts This Anzac Day Will Be With Fighting Men In Greece

Mingled with memories of nearly 26 years ago when Australians and New Zealanders sold their lives dearly on the slopes of Gallipoli, to-morrow—Anzac Day, 1941—the thoughts of thousands of Hawke's Bay people will be with sons, husbands, brothers and sweethearts fighting among the mountains of Greece.

The recent Nazi admission of the fibre of the Dominion troops in the struggle now being waged in Greece gives cause for satisfaction in view of Dr. Goebbels' broadcast jibe at New Zealand soldiers as "poor country lads as it were, who do not know what it is all about, and whose bones will bleach in the desert and moulder on steppes and in bogs."

German Tribute. It is interesting to recall that German soldiers did not speak of men in that way during the war. In fact, they were full of admiration for the Anzacs, which was widely quoted last year, is worthy of recall.

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Poppies Meet Good Sale

WAIPUKURAU'S DAY Farmers Covered In Emblems SOME BOUGHT TEN

The results of the Poppy Day campaign in Waipukurau on Tuesday is expected to yield in the vicinity of £60, of which £40 was secured by High School girls selling the emblems.

The secretary of the Waipukurau Returned Soldiers' Association (Mr W. J. Steere) stated that the day in view of calls for purchases of poppies an application had been lodged for a further supply.

Presbyterian Church MINISTER'S STIPEND Situation Causing Concern LAYMEN MEET

Over the last 10 years there has been concern in the Church about the economic position of ministers on the minimum stipend, and of home missionaries.

Should Rome Be Bombed? Sir, I wish to thank you for your diplomatic editorial answer to my question. Though there was not much space between the lines, it was quite readable.

Bombing Rome. Sir, I have read your editorial and also your correspondent's letter "An Eye For An Eye" and I am firmly convinced that the world would be none the poorer if Rome got a real bombing.

Memoranda. Tickets in the motor car raffle are still obtainable from the Women's Patriotic Committee, Tenyson Street, Napier.

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MORE BALLOTEES FOR TERRITORIAL SERVICE

Men Called Up After Review Of Classification As Unfit

The papers of a number of ballottees previously classed as unfit for overseas service, have now been reviewed and the men considered fit for territorial service, according to an announcement made by the Area Staff Officer at Napier, last night.

Some men will serve with the Guards and 10th Heavy Battery, Wellington, while others will be posted to the Motor Transport Unit, Dannevirke. Both groups will report on May 1.

Men for Dannevirke. The Motor Transport unit proceeding to Dannevirke will leave Gisborne at 5 a.m., joining the Waipawa men who will travel to Napier by a special train leaving Waipawa at 9 a.m.

Four Members Will Stand Again. Waipukurau Borough Council. Those who intend to stand as councillors for the Waipukurau Borough Council include at least four sitting members.

Promotions In Home Guard. Several Announced At Waipukurau. Battalion Commander A. O. Williams announced the following additional appointments of officers and n.c.o.s in the Waipukurau Home Guard at the officers' and n.c.o.s' parade on Monday evening:

Motor Transport Unit. Napier—Anderson, D. K.; Simpson, N. A.; Farish, J.; Whitty, M. J.; Daley, J. C.

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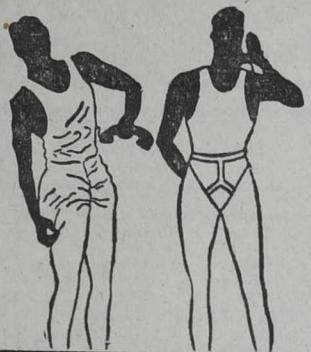
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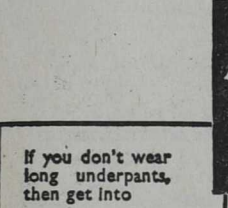
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Looking For The Next-Best Three-Year-Old

BEAU LEON'S JUST CLAIM Analysis Of Classic And W.F.A. Events

(By THE BARB)
An analysis of juvenile form for this season has already been published in the "Daily Mail" in an endeavour to arrive at which was the "King of the Kids" for the 1940-1941 season, but with no definite result. Now the question arises: Who was the second best three-year-old for the same period as Kindergarten is the undisputed head. Only classic or weight-for-age races can be used in a survey to discover the best and for that reason a perusal of this season's three-year-old Classics and the weight-for-age races is made.

As Kindergarten was the best of his age for the 1940-41 season it can be accepted that of the fillies of the same age Belle Cane is fully entitled to wear her crown. Three-year-olds this season have raced prominently in handicap events, particularly since last summer. Although a number failed to make the Classic grade, their form otherwise has been inspiring to stud-masters, who keep the standard of the Dominion thoroughbred up to the high grade it has occupied for some time. A glance through this category of young horses will show that last season all gave some promise as to the class they might achieve, with one exception, and that was Kindergarten, and he proved the "daddy" of 'em all. The first Classic of the season was run at Awapuni last September, known to all as the Wanganui Guineas.

A WEAK FIELD
Unfortunately this event did not bring forth a very strong field to oppose the Beau Pere colt, Sir Beau, who had not raced since the summer before and, on his then temporary retirement was held to be the best juvenile of his season. In the Wanganui Guineas he stripped fit and forward and the event was thought a foregone conclusion. He won but did not do his job as comfortably as many anticipated. Going past the winning post he had to keep up to his work for the last few furlongs, but did not look quite as forward as the winner. Rich Blood, third, is today still a maiden, while the others who were out of a place were flattered in being allowed to go to the post in the hand race. Beau was then criticised as hardly the sort to develop into a Derby or St. Leger winner and ultimate results proved that prophesy to be well founded.

AVONDALE CLASSIC
The next on the three-year-old Classic list was the Avondale Guineas, also run in September. Here a much stronger team was sent to the post and it also resulted better than the Wanganui event, as the former race revealed the fact that there were in the Auckland province ordinary young material that would, in an ordinary course of events, develop into three-year-olds worthy of the Classic grade.

In this contest Beau Leon was the winner from Lou Rosa and Sir Cameron, three-year-olds who all have done well this season, although the former went amiss in the summer and could not be produced in the autumn. This was unfortunate, as he was the staying type that would have made it interesting in the St. Leger, even for the champion Kindergarten.

DUNEDIN GUINEAS
Next was the Dunedin Guineas and although this race for years has not produced the best, it must be mentioned. Don't Forget won this race but it was a mild surprise that he defeated the illad filly, Doria, as the latter was held little higher than a good class hack. Wild Coon was third in the Dunedin Guineas which showed the class of those who also started.

GREAT NORTHERN EVENT
The Great Northern Guineas, which came up for decision at the Auckland spring meeting early in October, created no little interest as it meant the meeting of the winners of the Wanganui and Avondale Guineas as well as other good young horses. The race was a surprise. It was considered that Sir Beau and Lou Rosa would fight out this issue, as it was reported up north that since the Avondale race Lou Rosa had improved considerably and he would beat Beau Leon as well as testing the brilliant Sir Beau.

Sir Cameron won with Beau Leon second and a then lesser light in Cillas third. Sir Beau was fourth but his rider, B. H. Morris, said he had every chance of winning, never going like a winner. Lou Rosa was also among the defeated. At this time Kindergarten never entered the picture and the question as to which was the best three-year-old was rather open, although Beau Leon was a strong claimant.

WELLINGTON NEXT
Next to interest was the Wellington Guineas and the result again made matters more complicated as Sir Beau enjoyed a decisive win with Beau Leon again second and Enrich third, while Lamour was next and the Great Northern Guineas victor, Sir Cameron, fifth, the last to finish of the quintette. Up to a point Sir Beau had rehabilitated himself but he was rebuffed upon as only a six to an eight furlong possibility.

Up to this date Sir Beau had contested three Guineas, won two and was unplaced in the other, while Beau Leon's three attempts had resulted in a win and two seconds. Sir Cameron had one first and twice unplaced and Lou Rosa a second and an unplacing. N.Z.'s BLUE RIBAND
The racing three-year-olds had had by this time was considered sufficient to see them strip in rare buckle for New Zealand's Blue Riband, decided at Riccarton. For this Classic seven were saddled up with the race bearing a fairly open outlook. On opening day of the Canterbury Jockey Club's spring meeting, Enrich had decisively accounted for the C.C. Stewards' Handicap of six furlongs and as Beauville had won the same event the season previous, before winning the N.Z. Derby, he was given a chance of success on the grounds, despite his moderate third in the Wellington Guineas the month before.

However, in a close finish Enrich won from the Dunedin Guineas winner, Don't Forget and Beau Leon was third. Thus the latter in the four Classics he had contested up to first was never out of the money. In the Derby Sir Beau, Lamour, Sir Cameron and Belle Cane were among the also started. The critics and H. N. Wiggins, rider of Belle Cane agreed that the Beau Pere filly was certainly beaten. In the N.Z. Oaks, contested at the same meeting, Belle Cane had little difficulty in winning from Cherry Bay and Doria. **CANTERBURY CUP**
It is seldom that a three-year-old is not found contesting the weight-for-age Canterbury Cup but last November not one of this age was saddled, leaving only Royal Chief and The Buzzer to make a race of it. Royal Chief was the winner. Unfortunately there is no G. G. Stead Memorial Cup to-day as this event, also raced under war conditions, was among the most popular races on the New Zealand Racing Calendar. **AUCKLAND AGAIN**
The Auckland summer fixture was w.f.a. and Classics to be decided. On the second day Sir Beau was again on the winning list when annexing the mile King's Plate from Royal Chief and Don't Forget, who got the three-year-olds Lamour and Sir Cameron nowhere. It was in the Great Northern Derby that Kindergarten won his first Classic without over-exertion, from Lou Rosa, while Beau Leon was again in the money, collecting third prize. The also started that day included the N.Z. Derby winner, Enrich, the Oaks winner, Belle Cane, who had been temporarily knocked by her hard race when winning the Manawatu Cup a few days before Auckland, Don't Forget, Sir Beau and Lamour. No three-year-old opposed Beau Vite, Royal Chief and Kathbela, who finished in that order, in the Clifford Plate so a line was not obtained through Beau Vite as to the class of Kindergarten. The race they might have met in New Zealand this season. Before passing from the Auckland meeting it might be mentioned that Beau Leon was third to Beau Vite and Old Bill in the rich Auckland Cup so that this colt must be seriously considered when ascertaining the next best to Kindergarten.

LARGE TOTALISATOR INCREASE

Close Racing TROTTING AT MANAWATU Agent Wins Again

By Telegraph-Press Association PALMERSTON N., April 23. The Manawatu Trotting Club's aims in fine but breezy weather before a good attendance. The totalisator handled 13,708 10/- compared with 4688 10/-, making the total for the meeting 225,404 10/- against 114,323 10/-, an increase of 111,081.

PALMERSTON HANDICAP
Of 1100; one mile and a half
1-2-LEE BERRY, 60yds. (R. Donald) 1
1-2-TWICE WORTHY, scr. (W. H. Eginbotham) 2
3-4-FRONTIER BOY, 72yds. (H. Garnett) 3

Also started: 1110 Desert Wind scr., 7-7 King Newton scr., 5-5 Red Knight scr., bracketed with Rangiwahia scr., 10-11 Elephet scr., 8-8 Jack Parrish scr., 6-6 Steel King scr., 9-9 Alf Parrish 12yds., 4-3 Native Bird 60yds.

Length and a quarter; fifteen. Native Bird was fourth. Times, 3:28 1-5, 3:33 2-5, 3:33.

KAIRANGA HANDICAP
Of 1100; one mile and a half
1-1-AGENT, 48yds. (O. E. Hooper) 1
3-5-FLY ACROSS, scr. (F. J. Smith) 2
7-7-EMERALD FASHION, 36yds. (E. B. Curtis) 3

Also started: 4-5 Andy Direct scr., 8-8 Golden Star scr., 2-2 Centaurus scr., 6-4 Zinora scr., 5-3 First Call 48yds. Three lengths; threequarters. Golden Star was fourth. Times, 3:28 2-3, 3:33 2-5, 3:30 4-5.

BROADWAY HANDICAP
Of 1110; one mile
2-1-NEUTRALITY, 12yds. (M. Stewart) 1
6-7-THE GUIDE, scr. (J. E. McBride) 2
3-4-LADY NESSA, 12yds. (M. B. Edwards) 3

Also started: 7-8 Pearlora scr., 5-3 Don Walla 12yds., 4-5 De Reske 12yds., 8-6 Kaulaha 12yds., 9-9 Rangitapu 12yds., 10-10 Tennessee's Child 24yds., 1-2 Shannon Lass 24 yds. Nose; two lengths. Shannon Lass was fourth. Times, 2:14, 2:15 1-5, 2:14 4-5.

LUONI MEMORIAL
Of 1210; two miles
1-1-HARDY OAK 36yds. (O. E. Hooper) 1
3-2-KOSHA, scr. (L. F. Berkett) 2
6-6-LADY LADY, 36yds. (L. F. Berkett) 3

Also started: 7-7 Bonny Direct scr., 4-4 Loch Leven 12yds., 5-5 Franco 24yds., 2-3 Nightbeam 36yds. Five lengths; one and a half. Nightbeam was fourth. Times, 4:32, 4:36 1-5, 4:36 2-5.

MILSON HANDICAP
Of 1100; one mile and a quarter
1-1-FLY ACROSS, scr. (F. J. Smith) 1
6-5-DE RESKE, 60yds. (W. H. Eginbotham) 2
5-3-ZINORA, scr. (R. Donald) 3

Also started: 7-9 Andy Direct scr., 9-3 Lady Tornador scr., 8-7 Golden Star scr., 2-2 Centaurus scr., 4-4 Stylish Lady 36yds., 3-3 First Call 48yds. Head; two lengths. Lady Tornador was fourth. Times, 2:54 2-3, 2:49 3-5, 2:55.

LOUISON HANDICAP
Of 1115; two miles
5-6-NATIVE BIRD, 84yds. (F. J. Smith) 1
6-5-VERA WORTHY, 24yds. (J. A. Gerrard) 2
2-3-FRONTIER BOY, 96yds. (H. Garnett) 3

Also started: 10-9 Desert Wind scr., 8-7 Red Knight scr., 4-4 Native Belle scr., 9-10 Jack Parrish scr., 7-8 Alf Parrish 12yds., 1-1 Lee Berry 84yds., 3-2 Redmond's Pride 96yds. Half a head; three lengths. Jack Parrish was fourth. Times, 4:48 4-5, 4:54, 4:48 1-5.

PUBLICANS HANDICAP
Of 1110; one mile and a half
1-1-NAVTON JUNIOR, scr. (M. Stewart) 1
5-4-THE GUIDE, scr. (J. E. McBride) 2
3-3-LADY NESSA, 24yds. (M. B. Edwards) 3

Also started: 6-6 Pearlora scr., 2-2 Agent scr., 4-4 Don Walla 12yds., 7-7 Marina Rey 12yds. Length and a half each way. Don Walla was fourth. Times, 3:23 3-5, 3:23 4-5, 3:22 9-5.

MEMBERS' HANDICAP
Of 1125; one mile and a quarter
3-3-ALBERTINI, scr. (F. V. Curtis) 1
5-6-TE ROTO, scr. (J. A. Gerrard) 2
4-4-HANDICAPPER, 24yds. (J. H. Stubbs) 3

Also started: 8-8 Bonny Direct scr., 1-1 Koshi scr., bracketed with the last National Yearling Lass. This lady owner last week registered her racing livery as brown, gold stars, white sleeves and cap. Harold Griffiths has received a further addition to his racing string in the grey yearling colt by Theo from Lady Artful by Lord Quex-High Art by Leighton from the imported mare Thrill (1), to whom reference was made in yesterday's "Daily Mail" after a visit to Flaxmere. This colt is the property of Mr F. C. Christie, Orari, South Island. H. Griffiths has now completed the initial education on the Broisfort-Phrose yearling bay filly purchased by Mrs E. Selby, Hastings, at the last National Yearling Lass. This lady owner last week registered her racing livery as brown, gold stars, white sleeves and cap. Centrepoise (Hunting Song-Monette) who has already proved himself a first-class handicap performer winning, among other races, the C.J.C. Metropolitan Handicap of 1100; one and a half miles with 8.7 in the saddle, is now back in training. During his enforced spell he has furnished into a more solid gelding than before. Hacked about since January, he will not take a great deal of work before being in the condition to race again.

NOMINATIONS RECEIVED FOR GISBORNE

Good Response WINTER MEETING ON May 10 And 12

A good response from owners in the nominations for the Poverty Bay Turf Club's steeplechase meeting to be held on the Makaraka racecourse on May 10 and 12 is revealed in the following list:

First Day
GISBORNE HURDLES HANDICAP, one mile and a half.—Show Day, General Risk, Helios, Whetu, Lady Stella, Small Boy, Queen's Royal Stuart, Jungle King, Fossicker, Anini, Hyderabad, Golden Ridge.

HACK FLAT HANDICAP, six furlongs.—Hinerangi, Miss Hallomet, Tea Drop, Acquest, Fairy Song, Ashaboy, Waikawa, Akarana, Smiling Personality, Centennial, Dusky Morn, Kinstep, Support, Sporting Sister, Silver Bat.

HACK CUP HANDICAP, one mile.—Arabic, No Wonder, Love Lit, Vitement, Etruscan, Fairy Song, Ashaboy, Waikawa, Kinfi, Smiling Personality, Centennial, Dusky Morn, City Song, Visibility, Pinocchio.

TE HARAPA HACK STEEPLECHASE HANDICAP, two mile and a half.—Willen, Kikiroki, Glenvane, Lap Up, Birkology, Love Lit, General Risk, Helios, Small Boy, Royal Stuart, Queen's Dream, Anini, Hyderabad.

MAIDEN RACE, five furlongs.—Acre's Beauty, Midlass, Big Wonder, Cyprine, Ruling Moments, Tea Drop, Lord Massey, Acquest, Kinfi, Queen Moth, Cartoonist, Skyette, Kinfi, Versatile, Visibility, Strong Thread, Iritekura, Teomihia, Rich Blood, Sporting Sister, Denfenella, Kingsong, Vengeance, Pinocchio, Grey Spy, Many Stitches.

WINTER OATS HANDICAP, one mile and a quarter.—Boatsong, Hunting Cat, Vitement, Proclamation, Gay Mimic, Native Chief, Native Song, Boldstep, Shan, Charing Cross, Flying Spy.

RAILWAY HACK HANDICAP, six furlongs.—No Wonder, Show Day, Hinerangi, Miss Hallomet, Vitement, Acquest, Fairy Song, Ashaboy, Akarana, Skvette, Smiling Personality, Dusky Morn, Callardine, Support, Rich Blood, Silver Bat, Jungle King, Golden Ridge.

Second Day
PARK HURDLES HANDICAP, one mile and a half.—Show Day, Love Lit, General Risk, Helios, Whetu, Lady Stella, Small Boy, Queen's Dream, Jungle King, Royal Stuart, Fossicker, Anini, Hyderabad, Golden Ridge.

TURANGANUI HACK HANDICAP, seven furlongs.—Arabic, No Wonder, Hinerangi, Vitement, Acquest, Fairy Song, Ashaboy, Waikawa, Kinfi, Dusky Morn, City Song, Kinstep, Callardine, Support, Silver Bat, Jungle King.

TRIAL PLATE, six furlongs.—Acre's Beauty, Midlass, Big Wonder, Cyprine, Ruling Moments, Tea Drop, Lord Massey, Acquest, Kinfi, Queen Moth, Cartoonist, Kinfi, Versatile, Visibility, Strong Thread, Iritekura, Teomihia, Denfenella, Rich Blood, Sporting Sister, Kingsong, Vengeance, Pinocchio, Grey Spy, Many Stitches.

RICHARD SHERRATT STEEPLECHASE HANDICAP, two miles and a half.—Willen, Kikiroki, Show Day, Glenvane, Lap Up, Birkology, Love Lit, General Risk, Helios, Queen's Dream, Small Boy, Royal Stuart, Ar'ni, Hyderabad.

PUBLICANS PURSE HACK HANDICAP, one mile.—Arabic, Love Lit, Vitement, Etruscan, Fairy Song, Ashaboy, Waikawa, Akarana, Skyette, Visibility, Centennial, Dusky Morn, City Song, Silver Bat, Pinocchio.

WAIKANAE HANDICAP, seven furlongs.—Boatsong, Hunting Cat, Vitement, Waikawa, Proclamation, Gay Mimic, Native Chief, Native Song, Boldstep, Black Thread, Charing Cross, Flying Spy.

FAREWELL HACK HANDICAP, six furlongs.—Acre's Beauty, Big Wonder, No Wonder, Hinerangi, Miss Hallomet, Tea Drop, Acquest, Fairy Song, Ashaboy, Akarana, Versatile, Smiling Personality, Centennial, Dusky Morn, Kinstep, Callardine, Support, Denfenella, Rich Blood, Sporting Sister, Silver Bat, Golden Ridge.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETS
Subjects Discussed At Clive
Daily Mail Special Service.

The Clive School Committee meeting was held at Mr Burns' residence on Monday evening. Those present were Messrs Burns (chairman), J. B. Lister (secretary), H. Rean, W. McCall, F. Powell and Mrs W. McCall. The headmaster (Mr J. F. Bell) was also present. Mr Burns offered to cut the grass on the playing area during the holidays.

It was decided to write to the Education Board concerning the unsuitable height of some of the chairs in the infant department, and also to ask for the repair of three of the slow stoves. The tools used for school gardening are to be sharpened and a new garden barrow to be purchased. A sub-committee comprising Messrs Burns and Lister was set up to deal with the applications for the position of caretaker. It was decided to procure an Oxford dictionary for the school. Accounts totalling 3/4 were passed for payment. The headmaster reported as follows: The roll was 118, the attendance being much affected by colds and general sickness. The school was visited by the school doctor and nurses, who carried out medical examination of pupils. All dental fees have been paid. Pupils are preparing items for a recital to be given early in May. Swimming cups were won by Ian Burton, Melia Chadwick and Bessie Whatarau. Six cases of apples per week are being delivered. The Home Guard is using the school grounds two nights per week.

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DEATH
GLANVILLE—On April 23, 1941, at Hastings, Emily Heyward Glanville. Private Interment.
TONG & McIVOR, Funeral Directors, Nelson St., Hastings.
CROSBIE—On April 11th, 1941, Mary Gertrude Crosbie, wife of Gordon L. Crosbie (Auckland), and eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs S. R. Johnson (Mayfield), aged 37.

PUBLIC NOTICES
THE Annual General Meeting of the Otane Patriotic Society and of the Otane Sub-Branch of the Red Cross Society, will be held in the Otane Town Hall, Monday, April 28, 7.45 p.m. J. Macdougall, Hon. Sec.

AUCTIONS
HAVELOCK NORTH FREEHOLD PROPERTIES.
BY AUCTION.
THURSDAY, 24th APRIL, 1941, At 2 p.m.
THE H.B. Farmers' Co-op. Assn., Ltd., have been instructed by the Official Assignee in the Estate of Jane Guthrie, deceased, to offer at their Queen Street, Hastings, on above date:
3 Acres, 11 Perches, freehold, being Lots 4, 5, 6 and 27 D.P. 25 Suburban Section 12, together with roomed dwelling and out-buildings including motor shed (2 cars). The property is situated in Napier Road, Havelock North.
Under instructions from the Executor of the late William Guthrie, a SMALL FARM property will be offered, comprising 18 acres, 1 road, 11 perches, freehold, being part of Wangate Road East Block and Block 9 Te Mata Crown Grant District; Lot 28, D.P. 251, part Lot 1 1956 and being all the land comprised in Certificate of Title H.B. Vol. 47, Folio 21.
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TUESDAY, APRIL 29, 1941.
Sale will commence at 10.30 a.m. with cattle followed by fat and store sheep. Sale of sheep will commence not later than 12 noon.
STORTFORD LODGE YARDS.
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30, 1941.
The sale will commence at 10 a.m. with fat cattle.
No stock will be yarded before 5.30 a.m. until further notice.
The times for commencing selling will be as follows: Beef Cattle 10 a.m., Store Sheep 11 a.m., Fat Sheep at 30 minutes after completion of fat cattle or at 12 noon if fat cattle are finished before that hour. Store Cattle not earlier than 12 noon.
SALES FOR APRIL.
Waipukurau: 29, Stortford Lodge: 30.
SALES FOR MAY:
Waipukurau: 6, 13, 20, 27, Stortford Lodge: 7, 14, 21, 28, Ongaonga: 19.
WAIROA STOCK AUCTIONEERS' ASSOCIATION.
THE CATTLE FAIR scheduled for the 18th April will now be held on the 24th April next.

IN MEMORIAM
GUTHRIE—In loving memory of dear old Mum, Jane Guthrie, who passed away Anzac Day, 1940. So genuine, and so honourable and true. —Inserted by Gladis and Elsie.
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SALVATION ARMY
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The Public is invited to attend the Service on Friday, 25th April, commencing at eight o'clock. An Address will be given by the Rev. C. Olds.
HASTINGS RETURNED SOLDIERS' ASSOCIATION.
ANZAC DAY.
The usual Anzac Day service will be held in the Municipal Theatre, TO-MORROW (Friday), April 25, at 2 p.m.
Speaker: Major W. A. G. Pennington, M.A. All ex-service men are invited to parade at the Band Room, Warren Street, Service at 2.0 p.m., medals and decorations, and march to the service, at the conclusion of which wreaths will be laid at the Cenotaph.
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MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, HASTINGS
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A CORDIAL INVITATION is extended to the public to attend a short service which will be held in the grounds of the Memorial Hospital on ANZAC DAY, April 25th, at 11 a.m. The service will be conducted by the Rev. F. W. Marshall, who will read as his text "This day, in remembrance of Me."
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NOTICE.
HERETAUNGA BOBBY CALF POOL.—Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Heretaunga Bobby Calf Pool will be held in the Oddfellows' Hall, Market Street, Hastings, TO-NIGHT, April 24th, 1941, at 8 o'clock.
BUSINESS:
To receive the Annual Report and Balance Sheet.
General.
D. G. BEGLEY, Chairman.
NAVY QUEEN
Two pairs Stockings: 805c, G. Nelson, c/o Laine's, Cyclax Beauty Set; 1475c, Mrs Wilmore, Pacific House, Prestige Stockings; 1823B, Mrs A. D. Mine, 14 Jull Street, Bed Jacket; 22433, Mrs E. Hale, Handkerchief Sacher; 22776, Mrs Moir, Kenefick Road, Clausens Tea Set; 719A, W. Stead, c/o E. and D. Blankets; 1024B, Mrs Hefferman, Carlyle Street, Mystery Parcel; 1st, 998D, "Sucker Dave"; 2nd, 1262E, E. Baker, Measnes; 3rd, 1553D, "Box 12", Napier, Gala Day Chocolates; 1697D, A. Hamilton, c/o Mrs McAlpine, Prison Reserve, Electric Razor; 26981, M. McCutcheon, Auckland Road, Greenmeadows, Log Box; 68, B. J. Ferguson, Down Quilt; 220, Mrs Armstrong, Kennedy Road.

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